RESOLUTION No. R-2019-36

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF WARD TO ISSUE A NOTICE OF INTENT TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR FUNDS TO CONDUCT A DRAINAGE STUDY WITHIN THE CITY OF WARD, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, THE CITY OF WARD has an obligation to ensure that stormwaters drain as best as possible so as to mitigate potential flood risk within the city;

WHEREAS, THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION (ANRC) recently made available funds to cities to conduct Drainage Studies and other such studies;

WHEREAS, THE CITY OF WARD desires to apply for such funds by issuing a Notice of Intent to the ANRC asking for $20,000.00 to conduct such study, 75% ($15,000.00) of which will be paid by the Federal Government and 25% ($5,000.00) by the City;

WHEREAS, this study will be considered Phase #1 of a multi-year plan to study and map the drainage in the City;

WHEREAS, the availability of the funds became known to the Mayor late on September 26, 2019 and a Notice of Intent was due no later than close of business the next day. Said Notice of Intent was signed by the Mayor September 27, 2019 and is attached to this Resolution.

Now, therefore, it is resolved that the City Council of the City of Ward hereby authorizes the Mayor, after the fact, to issue of Notice of Intent to ANRC for the sole purpose of obtaining Federal monies to conduct a Drainage Study within the City of Ward.

Said resolution has been properly introduced and the vote was:

PASSED: ___________________________ YEAS 5 NAYS 0

DATE: October 21st, 2019

APPROVED:

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Charles Gastineau, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Courtney Ruble, City Clerk
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